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**FEES TRANSMITTAL
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 Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.**TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT**

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1,680.00

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| Application Number | 09/768,580 |
| Filing Date | January 23, 2001 |
| First Named Inventor | John F. McMahon |
| Examiner Name | Alonzo Chambliss |
| Group/Art Unit | 2827 |
| Attorney Docket No. | 42390P5142D |

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FEES CALCULATION**1. BASIC FILING FEE**

| Large Entity | Small Entity | Fee Paid | | | |
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| Fee Code | Fee (\$) | Fee Code | | | |
| 1001 | 750 | 2001 | 375 | Utility filing fee | |
| 1002 | 330 | 2002 | 165 | Design filing fee | |
| 1003 | 520 | 2003 | 260 | Plant filing fee | |
| 1004 | 750 | 2004 | 375 | Reissue filing fee | |
| 1005 | 160 | 2005 | 80 | Provisional filing fee | |
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2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES

| Total Claims | Extra Claims | Fee from below | Fee Paid |
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| 20 | 20* | 0 X 18.00 = \$0.00 | |
| 3 | 3* | 0 X 84.00 = \$0.00 | |

| Large Entity | Small Entity | Fee Description | Fee Paid |
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| Fee Code | Fee (\$) | Fee Code | |
| 1202 | 18 | 2202 | 9 Claims in excess of 20 |
| 1201 | 84 | 2201 | 42 Independent claims in excess of 3 |
| 1203 | 280 | 2203 | 140 Multiple Dependent claim, if not paid |
| 1204 | 84 | 2204 | 42 *Resuee independent claims over original patent |
| 1205 | 18 | 2205 | 9 *Resuee claims in excess of 20 and over original patent |
| SUBTOTAL (2) | | (\$) | 0.00 |

*or number previously paid, if greater. For Resues, see below

FEES CALCULATION (continued)**3. ADDITIONAL FEES**

| Large Entity | Small Entity | Fee Description | Fee Paid |
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| Fee Code | Fee (\$) | Fee Code | |
| 1051 | 130 | 2051 65 Surcharge - late filing fee or oath | |
| 1052 | 50 | 2052 25 Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet | |
| 2053 | 130 | 2053 130 Non-English specification | |
| 1812 | 2,520 | 1812 2,520 For filing a request for ex parte reexamination | |
| 1804 | 920* | 1804 920 * Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action | |
| 1805 | 1,840* | 1805 1,840 * Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action | |
| 1251 | 110 | 2251 55 Extension for reply within first month | |
| 1252 | 410 | 2252 205 Extension for reply within second month | |
| 1253 | 930 | 2253 465 Extension for reply within third month | |
| 1254 | 1,450 | 2254 725 Extension for reply within fourth month | |
| 1255 | 1,970 | 2255 965 Extension for reply within fifth month | |
| 1404 | 320 | 2401 160 Notice of Appeal | |
| 1402 | 320 | 2402 160 Filing a brief in support of an appeal | |
| 1403 | 280 | 2403 140 Request for oral hearing | |
| 1451 | 1,510 | 2451 1,510 Petition to institute a public use proceeding | |
| 1452 | 110 | 2452 55 Petition to revive - unavoidable | |
| 1453 | 1,300 | 2453 650 Petition to revive - unintentional | |
| 1501 | 1,300 | 2501 650 Utility issue fee (or reissue) | |
| 1502 | 470 | 2502 235 Design issue fee | |
| 1503 | 630 | 2503 315 Plant issue fee | |
| 1480 | 130 | 2460 130 Petitions to the Commissioner | |
| 1807 | 50 | 1807 50 Prosecution fee under 37 CFR 1.17(q) | |
| 1805 | 180 | 1805 180 Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt | |
| 8021 | 40 | 8021 40 Recording each patent assignment per property (number of properties) | |
| 1809 | 750 | 1809 375 Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR 1.129(a)) | |
| 1810 | 750 | 2810 375 For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR 1.129(b)) | |
| 1801 | 750 | 2801 375 Request for Continued Examination (RCE) | |
| 1802 | 900 | 1802 900 Request for expedited examination of a design application | |
| Other fee (specify) | | | |
| *Reduced by Basic Filing Fee Paid | | | |
| SUBTOTAL (3) | | (\$) | 1,680.00 |

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| Signature | | | Date | 04/23/03 | |

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**REQUEST
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This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 of the above-identified application.
Request for Continued Examination (RCE) practice under 37 CFR § 1.114 does not apply to any utility or plant application filed prior to June 8, 1995, or to any design application. See Instruction Sheet for RCEs (not to be submitted to the USPTO) on page 2.

1. Submission required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114

- a. Previously submitted
 - i. Consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 previously filed on _____ (Any unentered amendment(s) referred to above will be entered).
 - ii. Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on _____
 - iii. Other _____
- b. Enclosed
 - i. Amendment/Reply
 - ii. Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s)
 - iii. Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)
 - iv. Other _____

2. Miscellaneous

- a. Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c) for a period of _____ months. (Period of suspension shall not exceed 3 months; Fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(l) required)
- b. Other _____

3. Fees The RCE fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e) is required by 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 when the RCE is filed.

- a. The Director is hereby authorized to charge the following fees, or credit any overpayments, to Deposit Account No. 02-2666.
 - i. RCE fee required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e) and any additional claims fee(s)
 - ii. Extension of time fee (37 C.F.R. § 1.136 and 1.17)
 - iii. Other: (\$.00)
- b. Check in the amount of \$1,680.00 enclosed 04/30/2003 BABRAHAI 00000013 09768580
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